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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Claudio Boffito, et al.

APPLICATION No.: 08/675,969

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FOR: **THERMALLY INSULATING JACKET AND
RELATED PROCESS**

EXAMINER: WILLIAM C. DOERRLER

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 19, 2009, Applicants request reconsideration in light of the following remarks and the accompanying declaration:

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